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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>		Docket Number LEX-051-USA
	In re Application of Walke <i>et al.</i>	
	Application Number 09/813,290	Filed 03/26/03
	For Novel Human Secreted Proteins and Polynucleotides Encoding the Same	
	Group Art Unit 1654	Examiner B. D. Chism

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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

☒ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$ 55.00

☒ Applicant claims small entity status.

☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

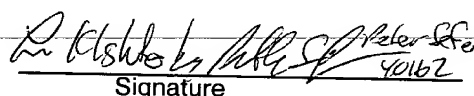
☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0892.

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